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SUBJECT: U.S.-INDIA SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SUBCOMMISSION

MEETING, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE 16-17, 1977

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1. WE WELCOME INDIAN AGENDA SUGGESTIONS CONTAINED IN
REFTEL. FOLLOWING DISCUSSIONS WITH THE BILATERAL WORKING
GROUP ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN THE DEPARTMENT MAY 23,
OES SUGGESTS TENTATIVE AGENDA FOR SUBJECT MEETING AS
FOLLOWS:

I. OPENING REMARKS BY CO-CHAIRPERSONS

II. ORGANIZATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-- A. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

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-- B. APPOINTMENT OF RAPPORTEURS

-- C. APPROVAL OF SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

III. FUTURE COOPERATION, INCLUDING PROPOSED NEW AREAS
OF COOPERATION

IV. FACILITATION OF PROGRAM APPROVAL AND IMPLEMENTATION

- A. MECHANISMS FOR PROJECT REVIEW AND APPROVAL
- B. FUNDING ARRANGEMENTS FOR NEW PROJECTS

V. APPOINTMENT OF PANELS

VI. OTHER MATTERS

VII. PANEL EVALUATION OF ONGOING ACTIVITIES AND PLANNING
OF FUTURE COOPERATION

- A. AGRICULTURE AND WATER RESOURCES
- B. ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES
- C. HEALTH
- D. METROLOGY, MATERIALS AND ELECTRONICS
- E. INFORMATION SCIENCE AND INSTITUTIONAL EXCHANGE
- F. OCEANOGRAPHIC RESEARCH

VIII. SIGNING OF MINUTES AND APPROVAL OF JOINT PRESS
RELEASE

2. DETAILED SCHEDULE OF EVENTS IS NOT YET AVAILABLE
BUT WE ANTICIPATE THAT AGENDA ITEMS I THROUGH VI WILL
BE COVERED IN PLENARY SESSION MORNING OF JUNE 16. ITEM
VII WILL BE TAKEN UP IN CONCURRENT PANEL SESSIONS
AFTERNOON OF 16TH AND MORNING OF 17TH. ITEM VIII WILL
BE SUBJECT OF FINAL PLENARY SESSION AFTERNOON OF 17TH.

3. UNDER AGENDA ITEM III U.S. INTENDS TO RAISE
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POSSIBILITY OF COOPERATION IN NEW AREAS OF SOCIAL SERVICES
AND REHABILITATION, FISH AND WILDLIFE, AND EARTH,
ATMOSPHERIC, AND SPACE SCIENCES. WE REALIZE THAT
INDIAN DELEGATION MAY NOT BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS THESE
IN DETAIL, BUT WE HOPE IT WILL BE ABLE TO INDICATE ITS
LEVEL OF INTEREST IN THESE POSSIBLE NEW AREAS SO THAT
ALL OR SOME OF THEM CAN BE EXPLORED IN SUBSEQUENT
EXCHANGE VISITS.

4. U.S. DELEGATION WILL BE HEADED BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY
OF STATE MRS. PATSY T. MINK AND TOTAL ABOUT NINE PERSONS
WITH ADDITIONAL PERSONS PARTICIPATING AS OBSERVERS.
NAMES OF OTHER DELEGATION MEMBERS WILL BE SUPPLIED
SHORTLY.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY SCIENCE OFFICERS PLEASE
TRANSMIT ABOVE INFORMATION TO APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF
GOI WITH REQUEST THAT GOI CONFIRM ITS ACCEPTANCE OF
TENTATIVE AGENDA AT ITS EARLIEST CONVENIENCE. DEPARTMENT

WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE FULL NAMES AND TITLES OF INDIAN
DELEGATES JUST AS SOON AS THIS INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE. VANCE

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